

Interview Summary

Application No.
09/832,204

Applicant(s)
Wakabayashi et al

Examiner
Kenneth Parker

Art Unit
2871

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Kenneth Parker

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(2) George Simion

(4) _____

Date of Interview Oct 15, 2002

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☒ Personal [copy is given to 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No. If yes, brief description:

Claim(s) discussed: 1-19

Identification of prior art discussed:

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Discussed the orientation of the parabolic reflector to the light guide, the location of the electrodes, and the operation of the diffusing layer. The examiner indicated that the different thickness light guides at either side of the display, the electrode connections only at light guide sides, and the display having a small display portion compared to the size of the display, with the display portion size substantially matching the parabola size, all appeared to be allowable, subject to further search and consideration.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview (if box is checked).

Unless the paragraph above has been checked, THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached

**KENNETH PARKER
PRIMARY EXAMINER
ART UNIT 2871**

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Examiner's signature, if required